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In re U.S. Patent Application of)
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Application Number: 09/942,723)
Filed: August 31, 2001)
For: INTERROGATOR AND GOODS)
MANAGEMENT SYSTEM ADOPTING THE)
SAME)
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LETTER

Sir:

The below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

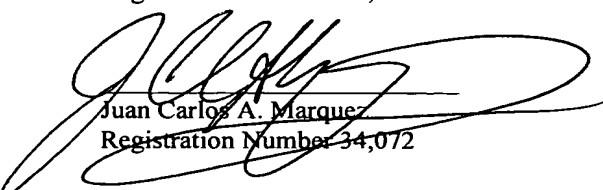
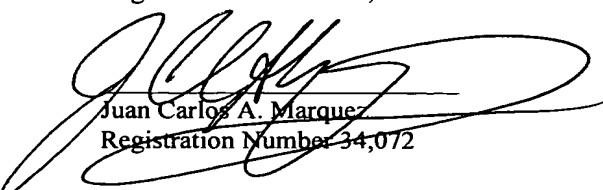
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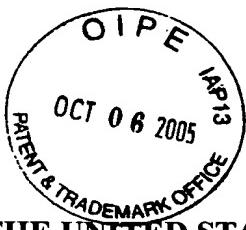
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Sir:

This is in response to the office communication dated September 29, 2005, in the above identified application, to which the period for response will expire on October 29, 2005. Attached herewith is the signed copy of the Response filed on July 21, 2005.

Favorable reconsideration of this application is respectfully solicited. Should there be any outstanding issues requiring discussion that would further the prosecution and allowance of the above-captioned application, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' undersigned representative at the address and phone number indicated below.

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the office action dated May 2, 2005, in the above identified application, to which the period for response will expire on August 2, 2005. Please amend the above identified application as follows: